

1 21. (Amended) The method of claim 19 wherein [the step of] altering includes  
2 the performance of a three-dimensional transformation.

1 22. (Amended) The method of claim 19 wherein [the step of] altering includes  
2 [the step of] packing floating point data into the data elements.

1 23. (Amended) The method of claim 19 wherein [the step of] altering includes  
2 [the step of] packing integer data into the data elements.

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**REMARKS**

Claims 8-23 have been amended. No new matter has been added. Entry of the foregoing amendments is hereby respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,  
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